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What could be more acceptable than gifts of
roses that will be a living joy for
years to come!



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The Soul of a Rose



Somehow the presence of roses
Brings a quiet, sweet balm to the heart—
The dew and the sunshine seem mingled
In the wafted perfumes that depart.

From the soul of a rose
Shines a blessing,
Soothing — restful — caressing.
A message from God
To soften our woes
Is hidden away in
The soul of a rose.

Heaven's own gift is the roses
Filled with a blessing divine,
That uplifts the heart
With their fragrance,
Keeping our fond hopes ashine.

ROSES

It is my intention in this little book to give as accurate a description of the roses as it is possible to give, avoiding the use of flowery phrases or any other method of inducing the public to buy something it may later be disappointed with. All, but a very few varieties offered, have been tried in various localities, so a fairly accurate knowledge is had of those that will prove satisfactory in various localities. It must be remembered that an accurate description of a rose in one locality often is not correct in another as it will vary in color and growth according to soil and climate.

Roses, like most plants, have their faults. Some will mildew under adverse climatic conditions, but by proper care and precaution in selecting varieties that are adapted to one's locality, this fault can be materially overcome. If in doubt as to varieties best adapted to your locality, I shall be very glad to assist you in your selection.

The stock offered this season is exceptionally strong and healthy. All plants are guaranteed to be true to name and to reach the purchaser in good condition. Should any be found otherwise, they will be replaced or purchase price refunded.

The prices quoted are for strictly number one, two-year-old, field grown stock. A No. 1½ grade sells for 20% less than a No. 1. Small inferior stock, I do not sell.

Discounts: When purchasing in lots of 10 to 25, deduct 10%; 26 to 50, deduct 15%; over 50 bushes deduct 20%.

Packing and Mailing: There will be no packing or mailing charge on orders of one dollar or more in California. On orders less than a dollar add 25c. On orders outside the state, add 10% to cover packing and parcel post.

California Sales Tax: Please add 2½% to purchase price. This does not apply to purchasers outside the state.

Weeping Standard Roses



This season I have an exceptionally fine lot of Weeping Standard Roses. These are most effective if one has the proper setting. Weeping Standards are climbers budded at a height of 5½ feet, trained down on wire frames and allowed to droop to the ground. Most varieties are recurrent in bloom while some bloom but once. The price of these is \$5.00 each. This price does not include packing or express charges.

MERMAID

A large single yellow bloom produced in large clusters. Foliage very abundant, glossy and free of mildew. A continuous bloomer.

MINNEHAHA

Double pink, similar to Dorothy Perkins, but very free of mildew. Blooms in the spring.

PHYLLIS BIDE

The most popular rose for a Weeping Standard. A small rose similar to Cecile Brunner, which blooms in large clusters. A golden yellow tinged with carmine pink, fading to white with pink edging. It is recurrent in bloom and does not mildew.

THELMA

A semi-double pink with glossy, disease resistant foliage.



"Something is born when the roses bloom
In God's great garden of flowers,
Something is born of love and hope,
Of peace and happy hours."

Standard or Tree Roses

This year I have an exceptionally choice lot of Standards, many of them new varieties that are being used as standards for the first time. Most of them are budded on I. X. L., stock, a few on La Griffia. All are budded at a uniform height of forty inches.

Standard roses are very effective when planted along walks, driveways, or when used to add height to the rose garden. The flowers produced on them are usually of superior quality to those grown on low bushes. Some varieties are better suited to Standards than others, and with this in mind, the following list is offered.

Prices: \$2.00 each, 5 or more, \$1.75, except where otherwise noted. This price does not include express charges.

AMI QUINARD—Crimson-maroon with black.

ANGELE PERNET—Orange-yellow shaded apricot.

AUTUMN—Orange, pink and red.

CHAS. P. KILHAM—Oriental-red and orange.

DUCHESS OF ATHOLL—Copper-bronze.

DUCHESS OF PENERANDA, \$2.50—Coppery-apricot.

ETOILE De HOLLAND—Dark velvety red.

FEU JOSEPH LOOYMANS—Orange-apricot.

GOLDEN DAWN—Lemon-yellow.

J. OTTO THILOW—Rose-pink.

LADY FORTEVIOT—Gold-yellow-apricot.

MAX KRAUSE, \$2.50—Golden-orange, yellow.

McGREDY'S IVORY—Ivory to white.

MRS. E. P. THOM—Canary-yellow.

MRS. PIERRE S. Du PONT—Golden-yellow.

MRS. SAM McGREDY—Coppery-salmon.

MRS. G. A. VAN ROSSEM—Orange & Apricot.

SOUV. De MME. C. CHAMBARD, \$2.50—Coral pink.

SHOT SILK—Orange-rose-yellow.

TALISMAN—Red-yellow, copper.

Novelties

SOUTHPORT (McGredy 1934) \$1.50

A very brilliant scarlet with a delightful sheen which is maintained until the petals drop. This new rose we have watched through two seasons and it is all that it is claimed to be. The bud is long, pointed, and opens to a full, cupped, fragrant flower. It is an exceptionally prolific bloomer. The bush is a strong grower with dark reddish green foliage quite free of disease although it does mildew slightly in unfavorable locations. One of the best red roses of recent years. Highly recommended.

AMBASSADOR (Premier Rose Co. 1930) \$.75

A sport of Talisman that is a great favorite. A bud with the same form as Talisman but having a uniform bronzy-salmon color. Foliage and type of growth same as Talisman. A profuse bloomer and fragrant. Excellent as a cut flower.

AMELIA EARHART (Raymond 1933) \$1.50

A very large, extremely double fragrant flower of light yellow shading to cream. An exceptionally prolific grower with large dark green leathery, disease resistant foliage. Stems are long and strong. A fine cut flower.

COUNTESS OF SASTAGO (Pedro Dot. 1932)

\$1.00

The best description that can be given this rose is to call it a double Austrian Copper. The flower is a deep reddish copper on the inside of the petals and a deep yellow on the outside; moderately large, double, fragrant rose and borne on long strong stems. The bush is an exceptionally strong upright grower with an abundance of thick, leathery, glossy foliage that is quite free of disease. The bush itself is an ornament without flowers.

COUNTESS VANDAL (Leenders 1932) \$1.00

One of the excellent roses of recent introduction that has come to stay. After being tried it is fulfilling all expectations. A continuous bloomer with exceptionally long slender buds of silvery pink shaded with coppery-salmon and yellow at the base of the petals. Countess Vandal has been one of the main attractions of the shows this year. The only fault we can find with it is that it mildews slightly.

DUCHESS OF PENERANDA

(Pedro Dot. 1931)

\$1.00

And what a rose this is; one of the finest in commerce today. Duchess of Peneranda produces two distinct shades. In the spring and summer the pointed buds open to a large, double flower of coppery apricot and sometimes showing a dark pink cast, while in the fall the color is deeper and shows more of the bronzy shade. The bloom is excellent in all stages and fades but little—quite fragrant. The bush is a strong sturdy grower with large, glossy, dark green, disease resistant foliage. A very free bloomer. There is no fault to be found with this rose.

MARY HART (Hart 1932)

\$1.00

Without doubt one of the best roses we have. This year it was the most prolific bloomer in the field. A red sport of Talisman similar in all respects, except color. The bud is a maroon red, opening to well-formed blossoms of deep, blood-red shaded amber, uniform over the entire flower. Old faded blooms retain a beautiful color. A most prolific bloomer; excellent as a cut flower.

MAX KRAUSE (Krause 1930)

\$1.00

We are just as enthusiastic over this rose as last year. The rose is large and very double with unusual lasting qualities. The bud is a reddish-orange and opens to a golden yellow. Moderately fragrant. The bush is a vigorous grower with exceptionally fine foliage.

PRESIDENT PLUMCOCO (Gaujard 1931)

\$1.00

A medium size, ovoid bud opening to a large, double, cupped flower of soft coppery buff. Bush is a strong upright grower with healthy foliage. A profuse bloomer and fragrant. An excellent rose.

SIR HENRY SEAGRAVE (Dickson 1932)

\$1.00

A large, high centered, beautifully formed, fragrant flower of primrose yellow, borne on long, strong stems. Bush is a strong upright bushy grower and a continuous bloomer. For those who like a light yellow, this rose is excellent.

SOUVENIR De MME. C. CHAMBARD

(C. Chambard 1931)

\$1.00

After observing this rose we can readily understand why it was judged the finest rose of France. A long pointed bud opening to a high centered, beautifully formed flower of coral pink with a satiny sheen. The flower is nearly always borne singly on a very strong stem on which the foliage extends to within an inch of the flower. As fine a cut flower as Dame Edith Helen. Bush is a moderate upright grower and quite fragrant.

General List of Choice Roses



AMAMI **\$.50**

A very large semi-double flower of soft peach pink, most attractive when used in a low bowl. A vigorous growing plant with very few thorns. Stems are long with light green foliage.

AMI QUINARD **\$.75**

One of our darkest red roses. Buds are almost black, opening to a semi-double flower of velvety crimson maroon with a soft black lustre. A prolific bloomer and fragrant. Bush is a strong upright grower with thick leathery foliage.

ANGELE PERNET **\$.50**

This rose is still the best of its type and color. A beautiful orange yellow shaded deep reddish-apricot. The flower has a fine form, semi-double and is borne on strong stiff stems. A fine cut flower and fragrant. Bush is a moderate grower with clean glossy foliage that is very free of disease. Will not stand heavy pruning.

AUTUMN (Coddington 1928) **\$.50**

Very popular again this year. An unusual combination of deep burnt orange and pink streaked with red. Moderately fragrant and very lasting. The bush is a strong upright grower with an abundance of thick glossy foliage. Mildews in some locations.

AUSTRIAN COPPER **\$.50**

This is one of the oldest roses in existence and still going strong. A shrub rose that has a profusion of small single roses of a brilliant copper red with a reverse of bright golden yellow. Short blooming period.

CECIL **\$.50**

The best single yellow. Flowers quite large and a clear buttercup yellow. Produced in clusters. Bush is a strong spreading grower with large glossy foliage.

CHAS. P. KILHAM (Beckwish 1926) **\$.50**

A most perfectly formed long pointed bud of rich oriental red suffused with red and orange, and opening to a double, high centered flower of the same shade. A vigorous spreading grower with excellent foliage.

CUBA **\$.50**

A vigorous growing upright bush producing a profusion of brilliant orange scarlet semi-double flowers. Excellent as a garden rose but not good as a cut flower.

DAINTY BESS \$.50

Considered by many to be the best single rose. A medium size flower with crinkled and wavy petals of a soft rose pink. The bright crimson stamens make a very pleasing contrast. A good cut flower if cut in bud. A vigorous upright grower and prolific bloomer.

DAME EDITH HELEN \$.50

One of the most fragrant roses produced in recent years as well as one of the best cut flowers. A large, very double rose of glowing pink. A moderate growing bush, rather shy on bloom.

DAZLA (Cant. 1930) \$.50

And what a dazzling color this is! A large semi-double rose with waved petals of brilliant orange scarlet with a golden base. The open flowers are from 4 to 5 inches across. A vigorous spreading grower giving bloom throughout the season. Recommended to give color in the garden.

DIANE De BROGLIE (C. Chambard 1929) \$.75

One of our most beautiful roses but almost unknown. A medium size, pointed bud opening to a double, moderately fragrant flower of a beautiful shade of coral apricot with no other shadings. A vigorous upright grower with large glossy disease resistant foliage.

DIREKTOR RUBIO (P. Dot 1928) \$.75

A large, long pointed bud opening to an exceptionally large semi-double flower of magenta red, borne singly on strong stiff stems. A vigorous, upright grower and abundant bloomer.

DORIS TRAYLOR \$.50

A very attractive long slender bud of orange-cadmium shading to yellow with considerable crimson shading on outside of petals. The open flower is a deep amber yellow. Stems are long and firm. A vigorous bushy grower with leathery, glossy foliage. An excellent cut flower.

DUCHESS OF ATHOLL (Dobbie 1928) \$.50

A most attractive rose in both bud form and in the open flower. A medium size, ovoid bud of deep bronze opening to a large, cupped, fragrant flower of golden bronze flushed with pink. A vigorous spreading grower with clean, glossy, disease resistant foliage.

E. G. HILL (Hill 1929) \$.50

A very large rose of dazzling scarlet shading to a deeper red. Very double and exceedingly fragrant. Excellent as a cut flower. A moderate grower and free bloomer. One of the best reds.

"THE BEST IN ROSES"

EDITH KRAUSE (Max Krause 1930) \$.75

One of our best white roses. Buds very large with a greenish tinge opening to a large fragrant flower of pure white, borne on long strong stems. A very strong grower, three to four feet in height, with medium size light green foliage.

ETOILE De HOLLAND \$.50

By far the best of the better known red roses. A beautiful dark velvety red that does not blue. Very fragrant and excellent as a cut flower. Growth sometimes rather slow the first year, after that a vigorous grower with an abundance of disease resistant foliage. A prolific bloomer.

FEU JOSEPH LOOYMANS \$.50

Another fine rose that everyone should have. A long pointed bud that opens to a beautiful flower of orange apricot. The plant is a vigorous bushy grower with glossy, disease resistant foliage. A prolific bloomer.

FLAMINGO (A. Dickson 1929) \$.50

A beautiful rose when grown in the right location. Bud is long and pointed and opens to a large, attractive flower of geranium red passing to rose cerise. A moderate grower and bloomer. Sunburns in a hot location. Recommended only for cool locations.

FLOREX \$.50

This bright coral salmon is one of our best garden varieties. It has a long pointed bud with thick leathery petals. An excellent cut flower and fragrant. Bush is a tall upright grower with large firm leaves that are disease resistant. A free bloomer.

GAIETY (Hill 1929) \$.50

The same parentage as Talisman although quite different. It is a medium size cupped shaded flower of orange, Indian red and silver. A vigorous bushy grower with light green, glossy foliage.

GOLDEN DAWN (Grant 1929) \$.50

An Australian rose that has proven a success in this country. A sweetly scented, very double flower of rich sunflower yellow passing to lemon yellow with age. The bush is a very vigorous, bushy grower with an abundance of large, clean, disease resistant foliage. Fine as a cut flower.

GOLDEN DREAM \$.75

A rugosa rose similar in all respects to Grootendorst except that the flower is a golden yellow.

GOLDEN EMBLEM \$.50

The best yellow rose in most sections of California. Rich golden yellow, heavily splashed with red. Splendid thick glossy foliage. A strong grower but will not stand heavy pruning. An excellent exhibition rose but subject to die-back.

GOLDEN MOSS \$1.00

The first yellow Moss Rose ever produced. The short, thick pinkish buds open to a rich golden buff with a pinkish tint and age to cream-white. The flowers are often three inches across and very fragrant. Does not bloom the first year. A very prolific grower but like all roses of its kind, it does mildew.

GROOTENDORST (Pink) \$.50

A rugosa rose used for hedges or as a shrub. A strong growing bush with thick crinkly foliage that does not mildew. The flower resembles a carnation in form but smaller. Color a bright pink. May be pruned in formal shape.

GRUSS AN COBURG (Felburg 1927) \$.50

A very attractive medium size flower of apricot yellow and extremely fragrant. It is a vigorous upright grower with disease resistant foliage. Does well in a shady location.

HADLEY \$.50

An old favorite dark red rose that is extremely fragrant in the spring. Mildews in summer and blues in hot sun.

HOOSIER BEAUTY \$.50

Dark velvety red and very fragrant. A fine cut flower. A moderate growing bush and free bloomer. One of the best.

HEINRICH WENDLAND \$.75

A German rose that adds a splash of color to the garden. The large ovoid buds open to a large, very double flower of Nasturtium red, reverse golden yellow. The color is rather variable, sometimes it comes quite pale. The bush is a very strong grower with wonderful large, glossy dark reddish green foliage. Exceptionally prolific bloomer.

IMPRESS (A. Dickson 1929) \$.50

A large camellia shaped flower of rosy red with orange suffusion. While not an especially vigorous grower, the growth is short and robust, producing a profusion of bloom. This rose seems to be best in early spring and late fall.

"THE BEST IN ROSES"

INNOCENCE \$.50

Large semi-single white with golden yellow stamens. Bush a moderate grower with dark green, disease resistant foliage. The best white of its type.

IRISH FIREFLAME \$.50

Orange shaded red. A vigorous grower and continuous bloomer. Mildews.

ISOBEL \$.50

A strong growing bush bearing a profusion of long pointed buds that open to large flowers of carmine red shaded yellow. Considered one of the best of the singles.

I. ZINGARI \$.50

A semi-single medium sized flower of blazing orange-scarlet borne several together on medium size stem. Very good to give color in the garden. A strong spreading grower and prolific bloomer.

JOANNA HILL (Hill 1928) \$.50

A fine yellow rose with a perfect form. The outer petals are a clear sulphur yellow and the inner a deeper tone. A vigorous upright grower. A fine cut flower and fragrant.

J. OTTO THILOW \$.50

This is one of the finest, most perfectly formed pink roses. The flower is large, double, high centered and of a glowing rose pink. A constant bloomer. Growth is vigorous and with an abundance of thick leathery foliage. An exhibition rose.

K of K \$.50

Intense scarlet, inside of petals dark velvety red. Extremely free flowering and fragrant. Semi-double.

LADY FORTEVIOT \$.50

A rose similar in form to Angele Pernet. It is a golden yellow changing to deep apricot and having a very pleasing fragrance. A vigorous, bushy grower with glossy, bronzy-green foliage and a continuous bloomer. Excellent in nearly all sections.

LADY MARGARET STEWART \$.50

A gorgeously colored bud of orange shaded yellow; open flower a deep buttercup yellow flushed with orange and red. A strong upright growing bush with dark green leathery foliage. Satisfactory only in summer and fall.

LOS ANGELES \$.50

Flame pink toned with coral and gold. Strong grower and prolific bloomer.

LOUISE C. BRESLAU \$.50

One of our finest roses. A large, very double rose of coral red shaded apricot, borne on strong stiff stems. Heavy leathery, glossy foliage. A fine cut flower and moderately fragrant.

LULU \$.50

A most beautiful long slender dainty bud of coral apricot. Only desirable in bud form. Semi-single. Bush a moderate bushy grower and free bloomer.

MARGARET McGREDY \$.50

A fine rose for a cool climate. A brilliant orange scarlet rose with heavy petals. A vigorous bushy grower with an abundance of foliage, a prolific bloomer.

MARI DOT (P. Dot 1927) \$.50

Another rose of Spanish origin that is very distinctive and becoming more popular each succeeding year. It has a color unlike that found in any other rose, a beautiful clear shade of reddish salmon yellow with a satiny sheen. As the flower opens the color passes to clear bright salmon and salmon pink with gold at the base of the petals. Moderately fragrant. The bush is a strong spreading grower with healthy, glossy foliage. A prolific bloomer.

McGREDY'S IVORY (McGredy 1929) \$.75

Probably the best white rose. The buds are long and pointed, opening to a perfectly formed flower of creamy white with a light yellow at the base of petals. The bush is a strong grower with excellent foliage. A prolific bloomer. Excellent as a cut flower and for exhibition.

MRS. E. P. THOM \$.50

Probably the best clear yellow rose for most sections of the west. A medium size, moderately fragrant rose of deep canary yellow with no other shadings. A strong bushy grower with glossy foliage. An exceedingly prolific bloomer.

MRS. G. A. VAN ROSSEM
(Van Rossem 1926) \$.50

The large ovoid bud opens to a very double, fragrant flower of heavily flamed and shaded orange and apricot on a yellow background. The reverse side of the petal is often a dark bronze. The plant is a vigorous grower with beautiful dark leathery foliage that is disease resistant. A prolific bloomer and a fine cut flower. Although good in all locations, it is particularly fine in a cool or foggy location.

"THE BEST IN ROSES"

MRS. PIERRE S. Du PONT (Mallerin, 1929) \$.50

For color and form, this rose is among the best. It won the Bagatelle prize in Paris for the best yellow rose. The bud is of medium size, pointed, and of a beautiful reddish gold opening to semi-double, very fragrant flower of deep golden yellow. A strong growing plant with an abundance of disease resistant foliage. The most prolific bloomer of all the yellow roses. Highly recommended.

MRS. SAM McGREDY (McGredy 1929) \$.75

This rose is probably the best of the roses that this famous hybridizer has produced, and one of the best garden roses in commerce. It has a wonderful combination of colors, scarlet orange heavily flushed with Lincoln red on outside of petals. Buds are large and long pointed, flowers double, fragrant and very lasting. The bush is a strong grower with abundant glossy foliage; young foliage a dark reddish green. A prolific bloomer.

NIGHT (McGredy 1930) \$.75

A medium size flower of dark blackish crimson, almost black in the spring in a cool climate. A moderate grower and bloomer. Subject to mildew.

NORMAN LAMBERT \$.50

A large handsome semi-double flower of coppery-orange with shadings of bronze and orange. A vigorous grower and free bloomer. Best suited for a cool climate.

OLYMPIAD (Gaujard 1931) \$.50

Since strong plants have been grown, this rose has been much improved. The bud is long and pointed and opens to a perfectly formed flower with color that ranges from blood red to an orangy cerise. The plant is a moderate bushy grower with medium size, light green foliage. A profuse bloomer. Subject to mildew and slightly weak necks.

PADRE \$.50

Brilliant coppery scarlet flushed with yellow at base of petals. A strong upright grower. Excellent as a garden rose but not for cutting.

PORTADOWN FRAGRANCE

(McGredy 1931) \$.50

And what a fragrance! A very double flower of orange-salmon pink with a silver sheen. A low spreading bushy grower with thick bronzy foliage. A profuse bloomer. Winner of the Clay Cup for fragrance.

PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER

(Coddington 1930)

\$.50

This rose continues to be very popular with many. It has a long pointed bud of orange scarlet opening to a very large flower of orange and pink. As the flower ages the bright colors fade to a creamy pink. The petals of this rose have such wonderful substance that it is an unusually fine cut flower. A very strong upright grower. Mildews slightly.

PRESIDENT JAC SMITS (Verschuren 1928) \$.50

A very fine semi-double flower of brilliant dark red with a velvety sheen, and having a delightful spicy fragrant. A vigorous bushy grower and prolific bloomer.

RED HOOVER

\$.75

This sport of Pres. Hoover is not really a red rose but the outside of the petals is a deep red while the inner side is just a deeper shade of orange. Growth is the same as its parent although the foliage is some better.

RAPTURE

\$.50

The best of the Ophelia family. A long pointed bud of pink shaded apricot. A strong grower and fragrant.

REV. F. PAGE ROBERTS

\$.50

A lovely two-toned rose of soft buff with a reverse of light salmon stained with copper. Growth is low and spreading.

ROSELLA SWEET (Pernet-Ducher 1930) \$.50

A large semi-double flower of rich orange apricot with a metallic luster, having a sweet verbena fragrance. A moderate grower and bloomer. Stems weak.

ROSLYN (Towill 1929)

\$.50

In the bay section and along the coast, this yellow rose is outstanding. A full golden yellow bloom with deeper shadings in the center and orange splashings on back of petals. A strong upright grower with excellent foliage. A profuse bloomer.

ROYAL SCOT (Dobbie 1928)

\$.50

A medium size flower of the Sunstar type. Flower golden yellow with crimson edges; borne several together on strong stems. A strong bushy grower and profuse bloomer. A satisfactory flower for color in the garden.

"THE BEST IN ROSES"

SHOT SILK

\$.50

A beautiful combination of orange rose overlaid with yellow and suffused with pink. Bush is a good grower with an abundance of glossy dark green foliage. Will thrive in shade. A continuous bloomer with cup shaped, fragrant flowers.

SOEUR THERESE (Gillot 1930)

\$.75

A French rose that is recommended for cool climate only. It has a long pointed bud of golden yellow often streaked with carmine, opening to a large semi-double flower. Foliage is medium size and leathery. A vigorous growing plant and free blooming.

SUNKIST (E. G. Hill 1931)

\$.50

This is a sport of Joanna Hill having the same lovely shaped, long pointed yellow bud, with orange tints added. A vigorous, upright grower; continuous bloomer and fragrant. An exceptionally fine cut flower.

SUSAN LOUISE (Adams 1929)

\$.50

This lovely new rose has proven satisfactory wherever grown. A seedling of the Belle of Portugal, but a bush rose and a continuous prolific bloomer. Bud is long and slender and of a deeper shade of pink than its parent; stems are long and firm. Growth is extremely vigorous and practically thornless. No garden is complete without Susan Louise.

TALISMAN (Montgomery 1929)

\$.50

The most popular rose in years and a rose that has come to stay. The color is a mixture of red, yellow and copper in varying proportions. The bud is long pointed and opens to a medium size flower of the same colors. Extremely fragrant. An excellent cut flower. Growth is vigorous and upright. Mildews slightly.

THE QUEEN ALEXANDRA

\$.50

A startling combination of vermillion and orange with a reverse of old gold. Excellent as a garden rose as it is nearly always in bloom. Not good as a cut flower. A strong spreading grower but will not stand heavy pruning.

VILLE De PARIS

\$.50

An excellent flower in nearly all sections. A large double ovoid bud of sunflower yellow slightly tinted orange; deeper shade in the center and at the base of petals. A vigorous upright grower with glossy reddish green foliage that is very free of disease.

VESUVIUS \$.50

Dark velvety crimson with yellow stamens. Excellent in a cool climate. Very vigorous grower and a continuous bloomer. Fragrant.

W. E. CHAPLIN (Chaplin 1929) \$.50

A large, full, double, high centered flower of deep crimson deepening to carmine crimson. Moderately fragrant, stems long and firm, a good cut flower. Growth is vigorous and upright with large, disease resistant foliage.



Polyantha Roses
(Low Growing Baby Roses)

CECILE BRUNNER \$.50

The favorite baby rose. Buds small, beautifully formed. Flowers light pink with yellow at the base of petals. A continuous bloomer.

CHATILLON \$.50

Bright pink semi-double bloom with a touch of orange. Bloom comes in large trusses. Used for massing and borders.

CORAL CLUSTER \$.50

Small delicate coral pink flowers borne in large clusters. One of the best of the polyanthas. Prefers a cool location.

ELLEN POULSEN \$.50

A medium size flower of bright cherry pink borne in large clusters on strong stems. A strong grower for this type with glossy thick foliage. Excellent for borders. A continuous bloomer.

ELSE POULSEN \$.50

Quite different from the average polyantha. The medium size flowers borne in clusters are a clear rose pink. The bush is a strong upright grower, 2½ feet, with glossy disease resistant foliage.

MAGNIFIQUE \$.50

A strong growing polyantha with rich glossy green foliage. Flowers are semi-double and clear pink; are borne in large clusters. Long blooming period.

MRS. R. M. FINCH \$.75

One of the new polyanthas that is very fine in a cool climate. The handsome flowers, borne in large clusters, are from one to two inches across and of a bright pink fading to a light pink. A very vigorous spreading grower with thick, heavy foliage. Like most polyanthas is mildews in some localities; blooms throughout the season.

ORANGE PERFECTION \$.50

Orange red. Very colorful rose borne in clusters. Burns in hot sun. Mildews in unfavorable locations.



Climbing Roses

BELLE OF PORTUGAL \$.50

Everyone knows the beauty of this long soft creamy pink bud which is one of the first to bloom in the spring. An extremely vigorous climber. Short blooming period.

BLACK BOY \$.50

A vigorous climber from Australia that produces a profusion of large semi-double slightly fragrant flowers of very dark reddish black in the spring. In the summer the bloom is bright red. Heavy bloomer in the spring but giving only a scattering of flowers in the summer.

BLAZE (Jackson-Perkins 1932) \$1.50

A new, scarlet climber with flowers, foliage and growth similar to Paul's Scarlet. Known also as the everblooming Paul's Scarlet. The originators of this rose claim it to have a long season of bloom. Granted plant patent No. 10.

CL. CECILE BRUNNER \$.50

A very rampant grower. Flowers same as the bush.

CHAPLIN'S PINK CLIMBER \$.50

A vigorous climber with thick glossy foliage. Flowers are semi-double, pure pink and grown in large clusters. Should be planted by itself as the shade of pink does not harmonize with some colors.

DAME EDITH HELEN \$.50

This climbing sport of the popular bush variety is a strong grower, foliage and flowers same as the bush.

DUCHESS OF ATHOLL \$1.00

Foliage and bloom identical that of the bush variety. A strong grower.

ETOILE De HOLLAND \$1.00

A climbing sport of our best red rose. Bloom and foliage same as the bush.

GOLDEN CLIMBER

(Mrs. Arthur Curtis James) Brownell 1933 \$2.00

This new yellow climber is a welcome addition to our list of yellow roses. An extremely hardy vigorous climber with glossy dark green foliage and red thorns makes this plant very ornamental. The flowers are a deep golden yellow showing red veinings. Very similar to Golden Emblem. Bush is better than Golden Emblem as it does not die back. Granted Plant Patent No. 28.

CL. GOLDEN EMBLEM \$.50

The same lovely flower and foliage as the bush type. A very strong grower, free bloomer in spring.

GWEN NASH \$.50

A very dainty semi-double flower of clear cyclamen pink with a white center. As one rosarian described it, "A dainty little blonde." This rose is a continuous bloomer and slightly fragrant. A good pillar rose, 6 feet.

CL. HADLEY \$.50

Same as the bush rose except in habit of growth. A fine dark red, fragrant rose in the spring. Subject to mildew in summer.

CL. HOOSIER BEAUTY \$.50

The same rich velvety scarlet as the bush type. Probably our best red climber. Very fragrant and blooms over a long period.

KITTY KININMONTH \$.50

An Australian Climber, very little known, but one you should get acquainted with. Very large, ruffled semi-double blooms of brilliant fadeless pink. An exceptionally strong grower.

CL. LOUISE C. BRESLAU \$.50

One of the finest climbers for the west. The blooms are even larger than the bush type. A strong grower with thick leathery, disease resistant foliage. A continuous bloomer.

MERMAID \$.75

One of the most popular climbers. Immense sulphur yellow single flowers with amber stamens. Buds come in huge clusters (often over 40) but it is seldom that over two or three in a cluster come out at once. Blooms throughout the season. Foliage is a deep shiny green; disease resistant. Does not require pruning. Excellent on walls or banks.

"THE BEST IN ROSES"

CL. MME. BUTTERFLY \$.50

Same as the bush variety except that is a strong climber. Salmon flesh with yellow at base of petals.

MME. STAECHELIN (Spanish Beauty) \$.50

A beautiful rose from Spain with long crimson buds that open to large flowers of delicate pink with curled petals stained on the outside with crimson. A vigorous grower. Short blooming period, 6 weeks.

CL. MME. EDOUARD HERRIOT \$.50

Same as bush variety except in habit of growth.

CL. MRS. E. P. THOM (Howard Rose Co. 1933) \$.75

Climbing sport of the well known bush variety. Flowers medium size and deep canary yellow. Foliage same glossy green as the bush type.

PAUL'S LEMON PILLAR \$.75

The rose lover should become better acquainted with this unusual rose. A medium grower producing a profusion of long pale yellow buds opening to large, full, very fragrant flowers of sulphur yellow and borne on long strong stems. A fine pillar rose. Foliage mildews slightly in unfavorable locations. A marvelous rose in a cool climate.

PAUL'S SCARLET \$.50

A most spectacular rose in the spring. Entire bush is a mass of medium size intense, vivid scarlet blooms, often producing a scattering of bloom during the summer.

PHYLLIS BIDE \$.50

An everblooming polyantha climber that does not mildew. The bloom, produced in clusters, is about the size of Cecile Brunner and a pale gold shading to carmine pink at edge of petals. A strong grower.

CL. PRESIDENT HOOVER \$.50

An extremely vigorous climbing sport of the popular bush type. Flowers and foliage same.

CL. QUEEN ALEXANDRA (Harkness and Son 1931) \$.75

If you are looking for a climbing rose that gives a grand display of color and repeats several times, this is the rose. The first of the season the plant is a solid mass of bloom, after that the recurrent bloom is good but not as heavy. A strong grower. We recommend this climber highly.

SCORCHER \$.50

A large semi-single flower having crinkled petals of a brilliant scarlet crimson. A moderate grower, best used as a pillar. Mildews in unfavorable locations.

CL. SHOT SILK (Knight & Sons 1931) \$.50

Another fine climber. A sport of the well known bush variety that is marvelous in the bay section. Flowers slightly larger than the bush type and of the same orange-rose color suffused with pink. Same glossy foliage as bush type.

CL. TALISMAN (Dixie Rose Co. 1932) \$.50

Every rose lover knows the excellent qualities of Talisman. The climber is very vigorous and produces quantities of bloom larger and better than the bush type. You can't go wrong on this one.

YELLOW CECILE BRUNNER \$.50

A very strong climber like Cecile Brunner, foliage is a light green and flowers a deep orange yellow.



Would God appoint
Some flower to reign,
In matchless beauty
on the plain;
The Rose (mankind
will all agree),
The Rose the queen
of flowers should be.

HELPFUL HINTS



Roses are heavy feeders! Mulch ground in early March with three inches of cow manure. Apply a half cup of balanced commercial fertilizer three or four times during the growing season.

Roses are heavy drinkers! Water thoroughly twice a month, doing so in the early morning.

Dust roses regularly once a week using a three hundred mesh dusting sulphur. Apply VERY lightly. Mildew can be controlled by so doing.

When cutting roses, cut about one-fourth inch above outside bud, leaving three or four buds of the new wood. Split or mash the end of the stems and plunge into deep water. Cut single roses in very tight bud, double roses just as they begin to unfurl—then just enjoy them!



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